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BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT  
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IN RE APPLICATION OF

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**AMENDMENT C and RESPONSE AFTER DECISION OF BOARD**

Dear Sir:

In response to the new rejection by the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences mailed October 27, 2000 in the above identified application (Appeal No. 1997-0144), applicant exercises option (1) set forth in the opinion, i.e., amending claims and presenting a showing of facts relating to the claims rejected by the Board on new grounds, and having the application remanded to the examiner for reconsideration.

This copy to be filed with the application, deposited with the U.S. Postal Service to Post Office Mail addressed to the Assistant Commissioner of Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.

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